

## **ATHENS RADIO CLUB MINUTES**

**February 1, 2022**

The February 1, 2022 meeting was held at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 706 Whitehead Rd, Athens, Georgia 30606. The online option was via Google Groups.

### **Attendance:**

**Broom, Tom K4THB. Treasurer**  
**Campbell, Mark N0GZR**  
**Fallin, Billy KN4ZNB**  
**Herrin, Bob KE4JLL**  
**Hickey, Jesse N4JAH- President**  
**Johnson, Bruce KX4AZ**  
**Koehler, Philip AF4TQ**  
**Matthews, Richard YR4CS**  
**McCook, Kathleen- KN4IJM -Secretary**  
**Bill McGee, N4WHM**  
**McKinnon, Howell- KM4ZXR -Vice-President**  
**Ray, Claude AC4SCH. Winter Field Day Coordinator 2022**  
**Reeves, James - KF4AQO-Repeater Trustee & VE**  
**Rollor, Ed N4ZRA, CCARES**  
**Ralph Roloson, KB3IBT**

Meeting called to order at 7:30 pm by President Jess Hickey

### **Program**

**Georgia Bushcraft-History and Mission**  
**Bill McGee, N4WHM**

## **Business Meeting**

**Treasurer Report- Tom Broom, K4THB: the checking account balance is \$16,722.96 and the PayPal balance is \$928.96.**

**Secretary-Kathleen McCook, KN4IJM- January minutes will be posted at ioGroups this week.**

**Repeater Update- Vice-President, Howell McKinnon, KM4ZXR and James Reeves, KF4AQO, Repeater Trustee. The tower climber reported there were no breaks in the cable. A 12 foot jumper was added. Connectors were examined. No leaks.**

**VEC report – James Reeves, KF4AQO, VEC -1 earned Tech, and a General earned Extra. 1 missed Tech.**

**Public Service-Bob Herrin, KE4JLL-Publix Marathon. February 26-27, 2022. <https://www.publix.com/publix-atlanta-marathon>**

**Skywarn, James Reeves, KF4AQO, Net Manager-Skywarn activated on January 16, 2022 during snow event. Multiple checks ins all day.**

**Claude Ray AC4SH, Coordinator of Winter Field Day gave a presentation on Winter Field day 2022. It was held January 29-30 at Watson Mill Bridge State Park in Comer, GA. Call sign W4G. The presentation is available upon request. Photos posted at the ioGroups page in the POTA album: <https://athensradioclub.groups.io/g/main/album?id=266700>**

**The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 pm.**

## **Officers 2022**

**Jess Hickey, N4JEH-President**  
**Howell McKinnon, KM4ZXR, -Vice-President**  
**Tom Broom, K4THB-Treasurer**  
**Ed Roller, N4ZRA-ARES**  
**Bob Herrin, KE4JLL, Public Service**  
**James Reeves-KF4AQO-VEC, Repeater Trustee, SkyWarn**  
**Kathleen McCook, KN4IJM-Secretary**

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**Athens Radio Club Discussion Group.**  
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UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS:

**March 1, 2022 Monthly Meeting**  
**Stadium Special event, April 30-May 1, 2022**